



Meeting Summary

City of Columbia Climate Protection Action Campaign Public Works Facility, 2910 Colonial Drive April 6, 2010

Attendees: *Mary Pat Baldauf, Aaron Bell, Jim Gambrell, Dr. Belinda Gergel, Robert Harkins, Pam Harpootlian, Mary Jane Henderson, Jane Hiller, Dana Higgins, Grant Jackson, Heidi Johnson, Victoria Kramer, Karen Kustafik, Anna Lange, Shannon Lisewski, Tonya Lott, Tracy Mitchell, Ryan Nevius, Anne Sinclair, Nancy Lee Trihey, Channell Webster, Synithia Williams*

Chairman Anne Sinclair called the meeting to order.

After briefly discussing the Green Building Incentive Program news conference, which was held on March 30, Sinclair reminded members that City Council had asked CPAC to spend the next few months talking over pieces of the storm water plan and provide feedback to staff about each piece. She then turned over the meeting to Shannon Lisewski.

Lisewski explained what the storm water management plan is and laid out the process for CPAC review:

- Each meeting will open with City staff presenting a 10-15 minute overview of portions of the storm water plan.
- Afterwards, there will be a 20-30 minute discussion of those portions. At this time, members should bring up concerns and issues. This will not be a time to solve these issues, but to bring them up and to the attention of storm water staff.
- Storm Water Staff will use the input to guide Phase Three, the revision process.

Storm Water team member Victoria Kramer then provided an overview of Element 11: Public Education and Outreach; Public Involvement and Participation. She explained the purpose of this element and reviewed requirements. During the discussion that followed, CPAC members made the following recommendations:

- There must be a sensitivity to the perception of being a business-friendly city.
- People who have complained should be included in the process.
- CPAC can help bring those and other people to the table.

Prior to the next meeting, CPAC members will receive information in advance to help prepare for the discussion.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, May 4.